



Homeland Security

Science and Technology

S&T NATIONAL CONVERSATION

ON HOMELAND SECURITY TECHNOLOGY

A Conversation at SXSW with Innovators and Public Safety on Preparing for the Future

SAVING LIVES: REINVENTING GOVERNMENT R&D THROUGH WEARABLE TECH

IN BRIEF

Do you have a great idea about how to apply cutting-edge smart technologies to make our communities more resilient and secure? We want to work with you! Join the Department of Homeland Security Science and Technology Directorate (S&T) for an interactive conversation to connect industry innovators, developers, and technologists with public safety.

Focusing on wearable tech and the Internet of Things, this discussion is a “call to action.” We challenge you to think differently about the role technology plays in saving lives and supporting public safety. S&T envisions a future where mobile sensors, communications, materials, and visualization technologies seamlessly work together to enhance the safety of the public and the responders—those who put their lives on the line every day.

S&T is looking for innovative solutions that can be game changers for the “responder of the future,” such as electronics embedded in a responder’s gear. To keep pace with the speed of innovation, S&T is initiating prize challenges and an accelerator program to attract businesses and inventors working on wearable tech.

Get an inside look at how S&T is changing homeland security nationwide and:

- Understand where to start and how to do business with S&T.
- Learn about S&T’s R&D roadmap and partnering and business opportunities.
- Tell S&T how it can re-structure planning initiatives, like wearables, to fit into the existing consumer marketplace of delivering innovative solutions to customers.
- Hear from S&T responders on existing challenges and capability gaps and how to collaborate with stakeholders to ensure technologies make the right impacts.
- Tell S&T what is needed from government to operate at the pace of innovation and be a stronger partner in the digital, wireless age.

DETAILS

March 13, 2015

3:30pm-6:00pm

JW Marriott

Salon G
110 E 2nd St
Austin, TX 78701

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Industry innovators, technologists and developers working in wearable tech and IoT, Public Safety, Urban Planners, and Government

QUESTIONS

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